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TO LIFT BERLIN BLOCKADE ON MAY 12

\$23,262 IS AWARDED IN LEASE SUIT

BATTE INTERESTS GET JUDGEMENT WEDNESDAY

Judgment in favor of R. L. Batte, Mrs. Joe Hickman and R. L. Batte, Jr., was obtained in District Court Wednesday against Robert L. Wheelock, Jr., and others of Corsicana.

The suit was brought against the Corsicana association of individuals and involved an oil lease on 930 acres of land in the Hanover community.

Camp & Camp, representing the Batte interests, asked the court for damages because the land, leased for oil development had not been developed. It was shown that on the last day before the lease expired that a slush pit was created. This in the opinion of Judge W. A. Morrison, Presiding in District Court, did not constitute development of the lease.

Mr. Batte sought to have the lease canceled while the Corsicana parties sought to retain the lease and pointed to the slush pit as evidence that the acreage was being developed. No well had been spudded or drilled.

In consequence of the failure to develop the lease, the Batte interests sought to prove that they had lost money they might have obtained if they could have leased land during the rush period in that area. The court sustained the claim and awarded damages in the amount of \$25 per acre on the land and that amounts to \$23,262.50 according to Emory B. Camp who with his father, E. A. Camp of Rockdale, represented Mr. Batte, R. L. Batte, Jr., and Mrs. Hickman who is the former Lelia Lee Batte.

Associated with Robert L. Wheelock, Jr., are Mrs. Wheelock, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Q. Kennaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon H. Willis and H. P. Wells, Jr., all of Corsicana.

W. W. Mason, lawyer of Mexia, represented the defendants in the suit and gave notice of appeal from the verdict of the court here to the Court of Civil Appeals at Austin.

Mineral rights to the land are owned by R. L. Batte, Jr., and Mrs. Joe Hickman, son and daughter of R. L. Batte, Sr.

Mail Pouch Sucked Under Train and Contents Scattered

A first class mail pouch thrown from a Santa Fe fast train Monday was sucked under the cars and its contents scattered along the track for almost a mile.

Postmaster Hays and a number of employees gathered up all the scattered contents of the bag possible and made distribution through the local office.

Letters containing checks and other valuable mail were found at various places along the tracks.

The train was going south to Houston. Only first class mail is thrown from this train which does not stop at Cameron.

WAR VETERAN SUFFERS ACCIDENTAL GUN WOUND

John Albert Kostiha, 23 year old veteran of World War II, is in a local hospital, suffering from a serious wound sustained early Saturday morning while hunting near his home in the North Elm Community.

Mr. Kostiha left his home for a rabbit hunt and the 22 rifle he was carrying was accidentally discharged when he jumped a ditch.

The bullet entered his body through the left side of the stomach passed through and punctured a lung and emerging at the shoulder.

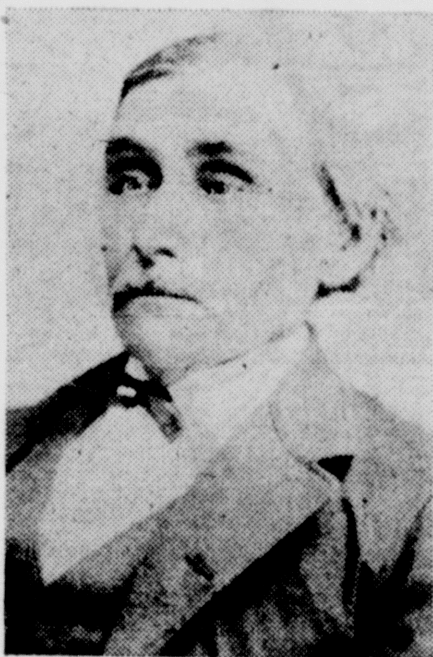
He made his way to the home of a neighbor where aid was summoned and he was rushed to the hospital. His condition was critical for the first few hours but it was reported Monday that he is improving.

According to information received by this newspaper, the accident occurred around 5:30 a. m. Saturday.

Mr. Kostiha served 4 years in the army.

LAWRENCE C. SCHILLER FUNERAL SATURDAY

Early Day Ranger



REUBIN SLAUGHTER

Old Letter Written From Rome, Georgia, Tells Ranger Story In Hood's Brigade

Here is an old letter written by Reubin Slaughter, Terry's Texas Rangers from Rome, Georgia in 1864. This letter belongs to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Foster of Cameron and was safely deposited in the old Bible mentioned several days ago.

This letter was written with a pencil and is a legible as the day it was written, time considered.

The letter, in an envelope that is apparently had made, was written to Mrs. Elizabeth Foster who was the grand mother of J. L. Foster and wife of Isaac Foster. She was Elizabeth Slaughter before her marriage and sister of Reubin Slaughter:

Camp 13 Miles from Rome, Ga., October 17, 1864

Mrs. Elizabeth Foster, Marlin, Falls County, Texas

Dear Sister.

It has been a very long time since I have heard from any of you, but I hope to hear from you soon in return for this. You ought not to wait for me to write to you, because you know how I am situated and that I cannot write to you as often as might be wished. I receive but few letters and it makes me feel alone in the world for all the boys to be receiving letters and for me to get none, which has been my condition for these many days.

We have had a very busy time of it this summer and fall and great movements are now on hand. The most important campaign of the war is now progressing—a campaign that will most probably end the war.

During the early part of last August the Yankees sent two raids to the rear of Hood at Atlanta, one under McCook and the other under Stoneman. We got after them and both were demolished, gobbled up before they could do much damage, their object being to destroy Hood's railroad communications. We overtook and captured one of them near Newman a town 60 miles in the rear of Atlanta. The other was caught near Macon, Ga. This was a heavy slam on Sherman's cavalry as it put out of the field by death, capture, desertion and being dismounted about 4 to 5000 men. We then returned to Covington, Ga., a town about 25 miles east of Atlanta and rested a few days and on the 11th of August we started on a raid to the enemy's rear. We had a long march to make and many hardships to undergo. We did not have a great deal of fighting to do, however. We destroyed three railroads in Sherman's rear and played the mischief generally. We remained in middle Tennessee until the 10th of September.

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426 ACRES OF PUBLIC LAND IN MILAM COUNTY

Austin—State Land Commissioner, Bascom Giles, states there is still public land for sale in Texas.

However, not much of it, as Texans measure land. Less than one per cent of the once colossal public domain is available to high bidders as the unsold acreage has dwindled to a total of 1,025,875.70 acres. (The total acreage of the state is 172,687,000.)

The unsold land includes 426.70 acres in Milam County.

Not all of the million acres can be purchased, Giles explains. The domain is administered by the School Land Board, of which Giles is chairman.

"No school lands within five miles of oil or gas production can be sold," Giles points out.

When there is sufficient demand, the School Land Board authorizes the sale of specified tracts. A public sale is advertised and information about the tracts supplied by the General Land Office upon request.

Sale is by sealed bids. The high bidder, if conforming with all regulations, is the new owner.

The terms are 20 per cent down with 40 years to retire the balance at five per cent interest. The Permanent School Fund retains one sixteenth free royalty in all oil production and one-eighth free royalty in sulphur production.

ROCKDALE OFFICER IN NARROW ESCAPE

Constable Edward Sexton at Rockdale had a narrow escape early Saturday night when he was fired on by two car thieves he had stopped on Highway 77 south of the city.

According to information here Constable Sexton spied a new Chrysler automobile without number plates and when the men sped out of town he gave chase and overhauled them. As his car passed the Chrysler he stopped and backed up slightly to get out of his car. Two shots were fired at him, both going through his car window and one cutting the band of his hat. Before he could get into position to shoot back at close quarters the thieves sped out again and thundered down the highway.

Constable Sexton opened fire but could not tell whether he had hit the machine or wounded either of the occupants.

The alarm was spread and relayed to the radio broadcasting system of the State Highway Patrol.

So far as known Monday here no arrests had been made. The belief was expressed the men had stolen the car and fearing arrest sought to murder the constable.

SGT. CLYDE BATTE TO HAVE REBURIAL HERE

The body of Sgt. Clyde Batte who was killed in action over Germany on October 5, 1944 is being returned to the United States and will soon be home for re-burial in Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Batte, Sr., received notification Monday that the body of their son will be returned in about 6 weeks.

Sgt. Batte was a fortress crew gunner and was killed in a bombing mission over Cologne, Germany. He entered the service in 1943 and was soon in action.

Funeral arrangements will be made upon arrival of the body.

Mrs. C. T. Stubbs, Jr., of Gause is a medical patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

BODY OF AIR HERO IS DUE TO ARRIVE MAY 6

The body of Aviation Radio Mate 2-C Lawrence C. Schiller will arrive in Cameron at 3:13 a. m. Friday, May 6 and will be taken to the Marek-Burns Funeral Home where it will remain until funeral services on Saturday, May 7.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. George J. Duda, pastor, at St. Monica's Catholic Church at 9:30 a. m. Saturday, May 7.

Burial will be made in Oak Hill Cemetery with the Marek-Burns Funeral Home directing.

Aviation Radio Mate 2-C Lawrence C. Schiller, was killed in action over Hongkong, China on January 16, 1945. His plane was shot down. He was serving with Torpedo Squadron 11, aboard the United States Aircraft Carrier, Hornet, then engaging the Japs with a task force that ended the great naval battles shortly before the Iowa Jima campaign.

With Schiller at the time his plane was shot down were Lt. E. W. McGowan (jg.), pilot of Massachusetts, and Gunners Mate 2-C Charles Cunningham of Arizona.

ARM 2-C Lawrence Schiller was born in Cameron on September 16, 1923 and graduated from Yoe High School and attended the University of Texas a year before enlisting in the Naval Air Service. He was 21 years old when he lost his life.

He received the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal with 2 gold stars, Purple Heart, World War II Medal and Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Ribbon with battle stars.

During the violent fighting in the Pacific his unit was credited with sinking 3 Japanese destroyers, one cruiser, damaging a battleship and taking a heavy toll of shipping. After Schiller lost his life over Hongkong his Squadron engaged in two more battles and were then sent home for a much deserved rest.

Surviving are his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Edward O. Schiller, Sr., one brother Edward Schiller, Jr., all of Cameron and grandmother, Mrs. J. O. Schiller of Caldwell.

In Dis Corner Lone GI; In Dis Corner 12 Bolsheviks; Gee Mom, It Was Great Fight!

VIENNA, Austria, May 3—A 19-year-old American GI beat up seven Russian officers in the lobby of their hotel today before he was dragged away by 12 American military policemen and an Army doctor.

A high-level Russian protest was expected, especially as two of the victims were colonels.

Pvt. Edward Touhey, six-foot-four, 200 pounds, Long Island, N. Y., was released this morning from the 110th Station Army Hospital where he had been under psychiatric examination. The incident occurred at mid-afternoon.

Rapist Gets Out On \$5000 Bond; Will Be Tried In Caldwell

Jimmie Smyth of Hearne, under indictment in Burleson county for the rape of a teen age Gause girl in early April, has been released on bond after a hearing in justice court in Caldwell.

The case will be set for trial at the coming session of the court. Smyth was arrested at his home in Hearne by Sheriff Carl Black and later it was found the offense had been committed in Burleson county and the District Court for that district has jurisdiction.

BERLIN CRISIS PASSES OVER NEW AGREEMENT

The Russian blockade of Berlin will be lifted on Thursday, May 12.

Announcement of the passing of the crisis over Russian action in clamping a lid on the German capital, was made when the U S delegate issued a statement shortly before noon Wednesday.

It was also announced that a meeting of the foreign ministers of the four big powers will be held in Paris on May 23.

So far as known the agreement was reached without sacrifice on the part of the United States. However, the Russians are apt to hold in reserve some secret intent which would be typical of all their diplomatic negotiations in the past.

President Truman and then Secretary Marshall said that talks about a meeting of foreign ministers would not be entered into as long as the blockade was in effect. Whether there was an agreement before the Reds said they would lift the blockade, was not immediately ascertained.

The Russians have called for a meeting of Foreign Ministers. They have consistently ignored the United Nations and used the veto to stifle peace efforts.

There was little optimism that anything like a lasting agreement could be reached with the Russians.

GERICK VICE COMMANDER OF LEGION DISTRICT

BELTON, April 28—Bill Elkins of Killeen was elected district commander and Mrs. Frank Wasserman of Marlin was named district president of the District 11 American Legion and Auxiliary at their annual spring convention here today at the new Legion Memorial home.

Joe Gerick, Jr., of Cameron, is Legion district vice-commander and Mrs. D. H. Buchanan of Temple is Auxiliary district assistant president. Other officers will be appointed.

Presiding at the convention, which met with representatives of 26 Legion posts and Auxiliary chapters, was Garland De Lemar of Waco, district commander. Special guests at the business session of the Legion were G. Ward Moody of Austin, Legion department adjutant; Joe Spurlock of Ft. Worth, 4th district commander; C. E. Janeway, national field representative from national Legion headquarters in Indianapolis; Hershel Hunt of Austin, editor Texas Legion News; and Fred Brookman of Waco, department service officer.

Auxiliary officials present were Mrs. O. E. Dewey of Graham, state Auxiliary president; Mrs. William Papas of Waco, state hospital representative from Veterans hospital, Waco; and Mrs. W. W. Wendland of Temple, state hospital representative from McCloskey hospital.

Rugeley Matthews, local Legion commander, was toastmaster for the dinner served the convention at 6:30 p. m. Visiting officials were introduced. Mrs. Minnie Crow played incidental music.

The entire Legion home was decorated with spring flowers. Following dinner, the Legion and Auxiliary were hosts for a dance open to the public. Music was furnished by Nick Nichols and his orchestra.

Bridge Contracts Let On Thorndale To San Gabriel Road

Contracts were due to be let for the construction of 8 bridges on Farm to Market road No. 486 from San Gabriel to Thorndale, it was announced by County Judge Dan Tyson.

The Texas Highway Department has announced that McGinnis Brothers of Houston are low bidders on the bridges in the sum of \$66,477.00. Included is a bridge across the San Gabriel River.

Ten bidders were seeking the contracts. Specifications on the bridges were prepared by V. R. Schmidt, Resident Engineer in Cameron.

Printing is a home industry.

ROCKDALE IS HOST TO SCOUTS AND LEADERS

With an estimated attendance of 1000 people, the Annual Boy Scout Field Meet and Court of Honor was held last Friday afternoon, at Tiger Field in Rockdale. Activities got underway at 2:30 p. m. with Scouts and their leaders from every section of Milam County, as well as Scout executives and district officials participating. Also attending were scores of business men, parents of Scouts, citizens and children of Rockdale school, who were turned out at 2:00 p. m. in order that they might attend the event.

Troop 88 of Rockdale was winner of the meet, with an accumulated 58 points, winning the Scroll of Achievement. Runnerup was Troop 52 of Cameron with 40 points, and third place went to Troop 86 of Thorndale, with 23 points. The seven troops entering the meet made a combined total of 164 points in the scoring of the judges.

Eleven events were run off in rapid succession under the direction of the Camping and Activities Committee, headed by W. P. Hogan, of Rockdale. The field and facilities were arranged for the contests by H. D. Maxwell and T. A. Weems, assisted by the Rockdale Senior Scout Unit.

The Rockdale High School Band, under the direction of E. F. Boxell, opened the meet with several musical selections, and assisted materially in setting the spirit of the event, and in observance of the affair the business houses of Rockdale were closed from 3:00 on upon proclamation by the Mayor, allowing a large crowd to attend and enjoy the entertainment, and see first hand the progress being made in Scouting locally.

Following the Field activities, an impressive Court of Honor was held, opened by Rev. Geo. J. Duda, of Cameron, chairman of the Advancement Committee, with C. M. Selman of Rockdale conducting the presentation ceremonies. Short talks were made by E. B. Camp and District Chairman Bill Morrison; and Scout leaders recognized included H. H. Coffield, President of the Heart O' Texas Council, Jim Gaskin, Scout Executive, Field man Jerry Addkinson, and others.

During the Court of Honor, Rev. Dimiline, of Sharp, who has been very active in Scouting, and who is moving away, was presented a Stetson hat by the Sharp troop, as a farewell token of their esteem. The presentation was made on behalf of the Sharp troop by C. F. Bell, Supt. of Sharp School.

A new Scout Troop, recently organized at Gause, with Joe Moore as Scoutmaster attended the Meet, but did not enter the contests due to the fact that the troop had not been organized long enough to train for the various events.

This annual Meet was considered by far the most successful ever held in the Milam District in number of troops, individual contestants, earned

awards and advancements. It indicates that with more leadership available Scouting is moving ahead, and progress is limited only by the adult leadership available.

Ice cream, popicles, and soda pop in quantities to satisfy even the hungriest boy were served before the Meet opened and immediately following the close of the Court of Honor. These refreshments were served to spectators as well as the participants.

Capt. W. A. Hoffson Moves Up In Air Force; Native Cameron

PAMPA CITY, Fla.—Capt. W. A. Hoffson, was among the more than 700 student officers in the Air Tactical School class which graduated at Tyndall Air Force Base here April 22.

Capt. Hoffson is a native of Cameron.

For the last 16 weeks Capt. Hoffson, with other Air Force officers carefully selected for the training, has been an intensive course in subjects of vital importance to Air Force officers in responsible positions under the direction of Brig. Gen. J. K. Lacey, Commandant. The rigid academic course has found the officers hearing lectures on Military Management, Operations, Operational Services, New Developments, Tactics, and Supply and Maintenance, coupled with frequent round table discussions of problems similar to those confronting the men operating today's United States Air Force. In addition frequent demonstrations have been given, and the program has been interspersed with appearances of guest lecturers, representing many allied fields of endeavor. For flying officers opportunity has been given to maintain aerial efficiency through regular training flights in tactical aircraft.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coats and Mrs. Wade Tindall left early Monday for Galveston where Mrs. Coats will be treated at John Sealy Hospital there. Mrs. Tindall will visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ridout in Galveston during her sisters illness.

Mr. and Mrs. James Vickers and daughter, Charlotte Ann are visiting Mrs. Vicker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Price and other relatives in Cameron on their way to Sweetwater.

Mrs. A. J. Armstrong is ill in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Medical School Is Approved By House For City of Temple

A measure appropriating \$500,000 to create a medical branch of the University of Texas at Temple was approved today by the House and sent to the Senate.

The vote on the plan sponsored by Representative Lamar Zivley of Temple was 109 to 24.

It was the third proposal to set up a medical branch of the University of Texas which has cleared the House.

The lower chamber previously approved bills to set up medical schools at Dallas and San Antonio.

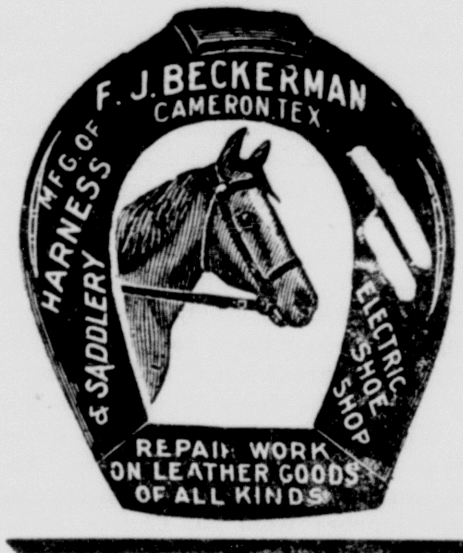
An amendment proposed by Representative William A. Miller of Houston to create a 9-member separate board of regents to administer University of Texas medical branches was ruled out of order by Acting speaker Pearce Johnson.

The measure provides for administration by the University of Texas board of regents.

Zivley pointed out that the Bell County medical school would be created at a centrally-located site readily accessible to all points in Texas.

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HOUSE APPROVES LAST OF THREE BIG MEASURES

AUSTIN, April 28—Members of the House of Representatives slammed the door tonight on a five-weeks legislative battle by approving sweeping educational reforms in Texas' school system.

The climax came with final passage of the third of three bills embraced in the Gilmer-Aikin education program.

The House action represented a

dramatic personal victory for Speaker Durwood Manford, who took the floor for the first time this session to speak on pending legislation.

The action came, however, only after the House had decided between assuring money for rural roads or for the Gilmer-Aikin school bills. It decided in favor of rural roads.

In stormy action which saw Manford take the floor to speak only as a Representative and not as Speaker the House voted to give priority to the 15-million-dollar-a-year allocation for rural road building, ahead of allocations for the Gilmer-Aikin school

program.

The G-A program is estimated to require 60 million dollars or more per year from the State's clearance fund.

Rep. C. S. McLellan of Eagle Lake and Rep. W. O. Reed of Dallas proposed a new tax would be needed to insure enough money for the Gilmer-Aikin program.

The third of the three Gilmer-Aikin school bills was finally passed, after the amendment assuring priority to rural roads had been tackled on.



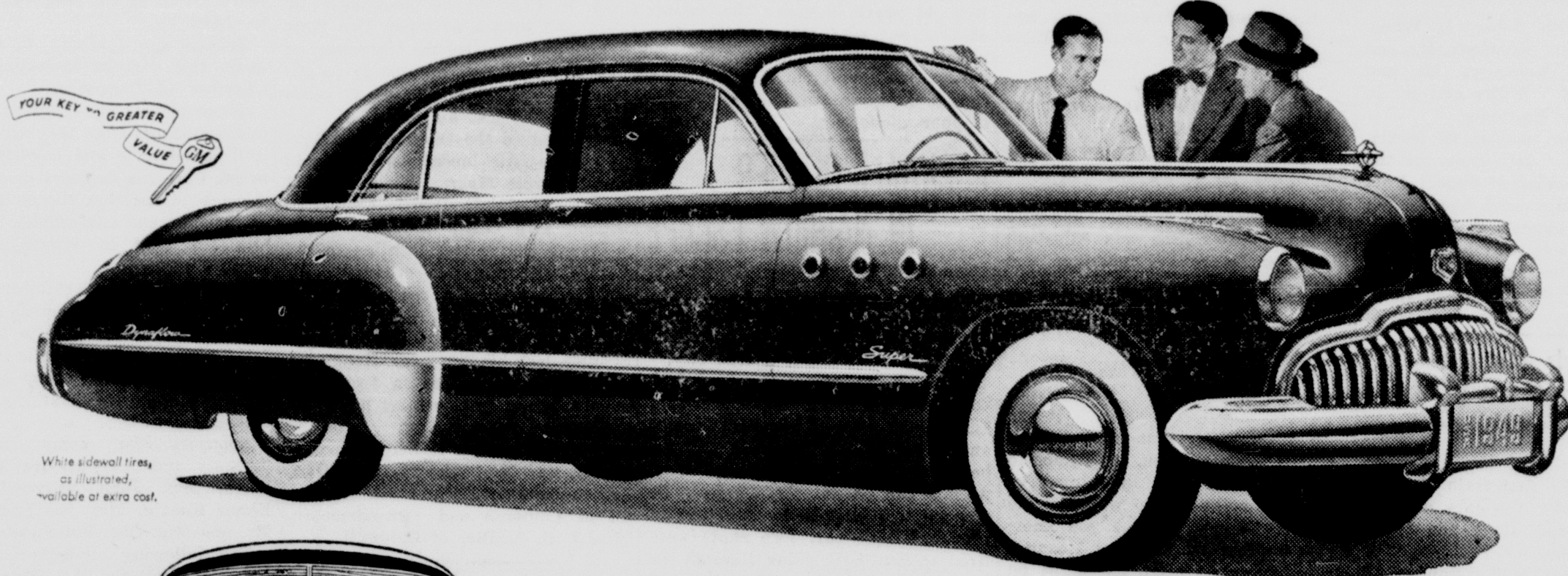
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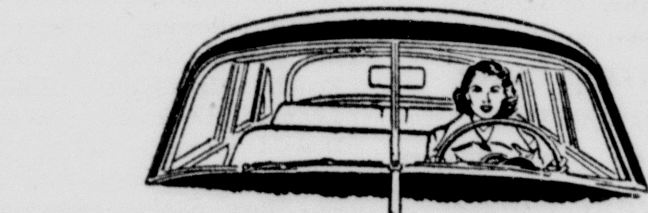
You've heard of hospitality, but have you ever sampled the Santa Fe kind of hospitality? Whether it's starting a streamliner smoothly... serving you in the diner (Fred Harvey food, of course)... turning down crisp, cool sheets in your Pullman... adjusting your seat in a chair car... warming a bottle for the baby... Santa Fe people take real pleasure in serving you well. May we have the pleasure of serving you on your next trip?

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SUNDAY CYCLONE TAKES HEAVY EAST TEXAS TOLL

BONHAM, May 1—The bodies of three persons killed in last night's tornado were discovered today by a neighbor who checked after seeing their house was blown away.

One other death was attributed to the storm. Seven were injured and many homes smashed.

The latest victims were Bryant Wade, 60, his wife, Myrtle, 54, and their grandson, Malcolm Wade, 8.

J. E. Miller, 49, died, apparently of a heart attack, as he lay crouched in a ditch to escape the tornado.

The Wades lived about four and one-half miles northeast of Telephone in an isolated, wooded area, one and a half miles from their nearest neighbor.

John Kelton saw his neighbors' home had been blown away early today and went to investigate.

He found the body of Mrs. Wade draped over a fence near where the house had been. The other two bodies were 40 feet away—the boy under his grandfather.

The injured included seven members of the J. C. Owens family. They

were treated at a hospital here for light injuries received when their farm home was demolished around them.

The twister, which struck about 7 p. m., left smashed homes in the Edhube vicinity, three miles southwest of here, and at Lamasco, five miles northwest of here. It hit a junkyard, 400 yards from the home of Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn and tore down an outbuilding.

Several houses, a filling station and a Baptist church were hit at Lamasco.

Four farm houses were smashed near Edhube, all in an almost straight mile-long section.

Bob Contrell of the Bonham Daily Favorite said the twister first hit southwest of Edhube.

He said people in Bonham stood on the streets and watched the tornado, which he described as "pint-sized."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tubbs and daughter of Bryan spent the Easter holidays in Cameron.

Hortense Nabours, student at South Western University spent the week end with her parents in Cameron.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Marriages

R. F. Smart and Lena Mae Fick. Glenn E. Anderson and B. Jean Brusner.

Deeds

Frank Mitchell to H. M. Akers, 87 1-2 acres of the J. A. De Pena grant \$2,625.

Lillian M. Fraim et al, to Mary Fraim Davis, 117 4-10 acres of the W. D. Thompson grant, \$10 and other considerations.

Roy T. Williams et al, to S. Brum-below, lot No. 3 in block C of the Douthett-Voulter Addition to City of Rockdale, \$1,400.

Ed T. Wentreck, Jr., et ux, to F. H. Pearce, 157 acres of the Magual Davilla 11 league grant, \$3,500.

Thomas F. Todd et ux, to W. C. Doss et ux, lot just outside of City limits of Rockdale, in the Wm. Allen grant \$2,500.

Mrs. Deany Ingram et vir, to Pope Ingram, 1.88 acres of the D. Monroe grant \$1.00 and other valuable considerations.

Annie Stallworth et al, to Julius Staten, 65 acres of the Levi Taylor league, \$10.

Ellis Williams to Lucille Miller, Trustee, lot No. 9 in block No. 4 of the Washington Heights Addition to City of Rockdale, \$50, part of the D. A. Thompson survey, \$50, part of the D. A. Thompson survey, \$50.

Ida Benson to S. T. Benson, all of lot No. 1 of block No. 7 of Perry Addition of City of Rockdale, \$250.

Bill Gorman et ux, to Modesta Vargas, lot and parcel of land in the City of Rockdale, out of the D. A. Thompson survey, \$150.

Winnie Jane Steel to William E. Steel, 77 acres of the M. Davilla grant \$10 and other valuable considerations.

Mary Sue Jenness et al, to Henry P. Lippman, part of lots Nos. 40 and 41 in block D of the original town of Cameron, in the D. Monroe grant known as the C. H. Yoe building, \$14,000.

H. C. Butts et ux to J. P. Ferguson, 25.24 acres of the Mary A. Hackett survey, \$100 and other valuable considerations.

Mrs. Meta McCown to R. A. Michalka, 100 acres of the Samuel Moore tract, \$10 and other valuable considerations.

PROBATE COURT

April 20, 1949. Will of Otto F. Lucko, deceased, H. M. Lucko appointed Independent executor without bond. Lester Williams, August Gurecky and A. C. Martin appointed appraisers, as per decree.

New Cars

Hein & Loehr Grocery, GMC Pickup.

H. M. Akers, Buick 4 dr. Sedan.

E. Vogelsang, GMC Pickup.

J. Brock, Chevrolet Pickup.

P. H. Perry, Jr., Buick Sedan.

McAlester Fuel Co., Chevrolet 4-door Sedan.

Caryle Post 358 Inc., Chevrolet Cabriolet.

L. L. Hall, Ford Tudor.

Gilford Thweatt, Hudson 4-door Sedan.

W. T. Pearson Jr., Chevrolet Tudor.

S. A. Mixson, Pontiac 4-door De-Luxe Sedan.

Texas Power & Light Co., Chevrolet Pickup.

Aeme Plumbing Co., Willys Pickup.

Development Enterprises, Willys Pickup.

Gladys & Dorothy Matson, Ford Convertible Coupe.

Lt. Earl W. Dennis Jr., Buick Sedan.

Francis Cox, Line. Cos. Clube Cpe.

Joe R. Luce, GMC Pickup.

Ivan Cleek, Chevrolet Sedan.

FULL QUOTA SEEN AS FINAL REPORT MADE

Full quota in the 1949 American Red Cross fund canvas in Milam county was in sight as final report was made by Miss Myrtle Hinton, Publicity Director and Treasurer.

As shown by the report compiled by Miss Hinton the total has reached \$5,682.43 only about \$60 short of the announced quota when the drive began.

Three communities have not reported. They are Davilla, Hanover and Branchville. The assigned quota in these communities is far more than would be necessary for the county to reach the quota announced.

The county may be said to have gone over the top, however, since it has exceeded the expected goal. A small allowance is made in setting the original figures.

Miss Hinton says that Milam county was among the first 36 counties in Texas to reach its quota which is a very fine record in the 1949 drive.

Miss Hinton was very gracious in her thanks to the newspapers of the county for their share in the drive in devoting space to Red Cross stories sent out from her office. She is also very grateful to members of the Publicity Committee who served with her.

As space permits this newspaper will publish the list of the towns and communities contributing. Cameron raised the bulk of the money with \$2352.02, having exceeded its quota by \$150. Burlington was far over quota, so was Rice School House, Sharp, Thorndale, Conoley, Salty and Watson Branch, Jones Prairie and Marlow and others.

John Wayne Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark of Cameron is a medical patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Phone your news items to 282.

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Marak Boy Injured In Mower Accident

Frankie Hromcik, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hromcik of Marak was seriously injured two weeks ago, when he sustained a severe laceration on the left leg.

The accident occurred while a power lawn mower was being operated at the school at Marak.

Father Ben Holub rushed the lad to a hospital, where he is reported to be doing fine and will return to his home in a few days.

LIPPMAN BUYS MORE BUSINESS PROPERTY

Henry F. Lippman, widely known Cameron business man and property owner, has made a new investment in down town real estate.

Mr. Lippman has purchased the Denson building at the corner of first Street and Houston Avenue. This property was owned by Mrs. C. B. Jenness and Mrs. Harry Moore of Dallas, daughters and heirs of the late Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Denson.

Mr. Lippman said that he plans to improve and modernize this building in the near future. It is currently occupied by the Weidman bakery and cafe and the Kuehl Barber Shop on the ground floor facing both South

Houston Avenue and East First Street.

The building is two stories and the dental offices of Dr. F. Burns Bever are upstairs as well as the law offices of Roy Baskin.

Mr. Lippman has expressed anew his faith in the future of Cameron business property. He owns buildings on the east corner of the block in addition to his department store and also owns the building on North Central Avenue occupied by Model Cleaners.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kennon and other relatives were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Loftin and little son of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bunt and children of Houma, La.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Harper for the week end were Mrs. Claude McMardia and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hudspeth Stamford and daughters Jarene and Glenda Sue.

Walter Kelm, son of Edwin Kelm of Route 1, Burlington is a medical patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Friends of Mrs. J. L. Foster will be glad to know she is improving at King Daughters Hospital in Temple after a recent operation for injuries sustained in a fall at the Foster home. She will be returned to her home soon.

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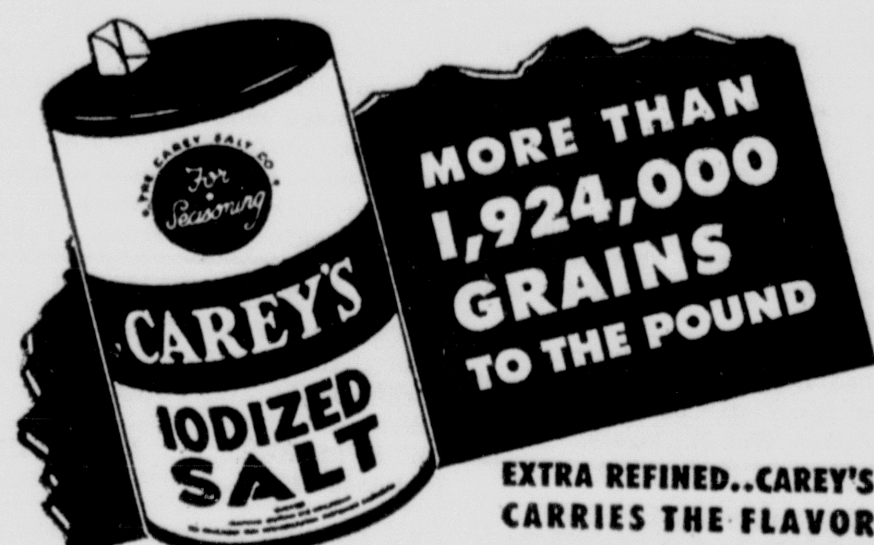


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REV. C. L. SPRADLEY FUNERAL HELD TUESDAY

Rev. Charles L. Spradley, 89, pioneer Baptist minister and church leader, died at 8 p. m. Saturday, April 30 at the home of his son, J. W. Spradley in San Benito.

Rev. Spradley was a resident of Cameron for a long period of time and lived in Milam county for 30 years. He was a retired Baptist minister, and at one time pastor of the historic Little River Baptist Church at Jones Prairie.

The body of the pioneer church leader arrived in Cameron at 2:01 a. m. Tuesday over the Santa Fe and was taken to the Marek-Burns Funeral Home where it remained until the funeral hour Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Spradley was a native of Oklahoma, born at Selma on June 21, 1860.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p. m. at the Little River Baptist Church in Houston with interment in Little River church cemetery and the Marek-Burns Funeral Home directing arrangements.

Surviving are one son, J. W. Spradley of San Benito, two daughters Mrs. B. W. Barskey of Baton Rouge, La., and Mrs. W. T. Johnson of Rosenberg. Also surviving are 9 grand children and 10 great grand children.

Reed Rogers of Corpus Christi spent the Easter holidays here with his father, Wm. R. Rogers.



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T. C. Stafford Was District Clerk 12 Years; Error Made

In a recently published table of the names and tenure of office of District Clerks in Milam county this newspaper made an error or regrettable proportions in listing the name of T. C. Stafford.

Mr. Stafford served for 12 years beginning with 1891 and ending with 1902. In the published account his period of service was listed as 1891 to 1892.

This newspaper is glad to have its attention called to this error and it was no mistake on the part of Grady Allen, District Clerk. It was a typographical error in the part of this newspaper.

Mr. Stafford was the father of W. H. Stafford, City Secretary for Cameron.

Five Indictments Returned By Grand Jury Here Wednesday

Five bills of indictment were returned late Wednesday by the Grand Jury in District Court.

Edwin Benjamin, negro, will face trial for murder growing out of the fatal shooting of Mary Runnels, aged negro woman, in Cameron early this year.

J. H. Collins was indicted for burglary in connection with the robbery of the Rodenbeck Brothers garage and auto accessory store in Thordale. Collins is now serving a prison term in Arkansas. He was previously held under an offense committed here. At that time he was living in Arkansas.

J. D. Neal of Cameron is charged in three indictments for swindling with worthless checks.

DRUNK DRIVING FINE

Eddie B. Shaw, negro, paid the minimum fine of \$50.00 in County Court on a charge of drunk driving here Thursday.

Patrolman Higginbotham filed charges.

The negro must surrender his license to drive a car for six months under the Texas law.

James Gregory of Cameron is a medical patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Contralto Due Here



FRANCINE FALKON

Miss Falkon will be in Cameron May 11 for a concert for members only of the Milam County Civic Music Association.

Francine Falkon, Contralto Will Give Concert Here May 11

Francine Falkon, who will appear in this city on May 11 at 8 p. m., at Yoe High School Auditorium, has a three octave contralto voice that has been "likened to the hallowed tones of the organ in some great cathedral."

By sandwiching serious concert tours between her radio performances on NBC's "Hour of Charm," by studying under noted New York teachers, and by winning first place for New York state in the National Federation of Music Clubs contest in 1946, she developed her voice to a pitch of perfection that called forth considerable excitement among New York music critics, last November, when she made her New York Town debut.

The New York Times reported, "... a musically debut recital. The audience greeted the young singer with uncommon enthusiasm—a thrilling lovely voice and she sang with a high degree of intelligence." The New York Herald Tribune was not far behind: "... a young contralto of uncommon vocal and expressive gifts... profoundly moving;" while the New York Post topped them both with its pronouncement: "... a debut of uncommon merit. This young singer not only has an extraordinary voice, but is already an artist who can interpret in a compelling way... mature understanding and admirable musician musicianship... breadth and power... exciting brilliance."

To these tall attributes Miss Falkon adds five-feet-eight of blonde blue-eyed beauty that have brought her a singing part in the movies. She is the girl who has everything.

Bennie Ray Winfield Celebrates Fourth Birthday Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Winfield honored their son, Bennie Ray with a birthday party on his fourth birthday at the City park Sunday afternoon. The party hours were from 3 to 5 p. m. and twenty little friends of Bennie's were present to greet him on his birthday.

An elephant hunt was enjoyed and the children with the most elephants on their string were given a prize.

Mrs. Winfield served cookies, ice cream, cake and punch. The lovely birthday cake was decorated for the occasion. Favors were grab bags containing toy balloons and candy.

BTU Give Birthday Shower At Terry Home In Cameron

The Young Peoples BTU of First Baptist Church met at the lovely country home of Mr. and Mrs. Gib Terry Friday evening, April 29 where they honored Mrs. Bailey, mother of Mrs. Terry and Mrs. A. H. Halberdier with a surprise birthday shower. Mrs. Bailey celebrated her 84th birthday on May 1.

The group sang, "Happy Birthday" and presented the honoree with gifts.

Assisting in the hospitalities were Mr. and Mrs. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Halberdier and Miss Willie Fletcher. Refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served.

Rev. and Mrs. Percy A. Corkern chaperoned the group.

JURY COMMISSION

A jury commission has completed its work in the selection of jurors to serve as a panel. The court term will begin on May 1st and end the first Monday in September. Members of the commission were Clyde Moore of Davilla, J. C. Andres of Cameron and Alton Baggett of Rockdale.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Westbrook of Houston visited W. O. Fisher and daughter Vera Sunday afternoon.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR TRUETT CHAMBERS FRI.

Funeral services for Truett Chambers, 30, were held at 3 p. m. Friday, April 29 form St. Monica's Catholic Church in Cameron with interment in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Chambers was born in Austin on August 19, 1918 and had lived nearly all his life in Cameron. He was the son of Mrs. Maude Chambers and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Weems of Cameron.

He died in McCloskey Veterans Hospital in Temple on Wednesday, April 26 where he had been under treatment for some time. He was a veteran of World War II, having served for two years. He was wounded in the North African campaign.

Full military honors were accorded the deceased by members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars. The Marek-Burns Funeral Home directed arrangements.

Pall bearers were: August Kunz, John Andres, Roy Wohlleb, Billy Balhorn, Frank Richter, Jr., and Louis Matula.

"Thunderbolt" Wins Plantation Class First At Waco

"Thunderbolt" 5 year old horse was ridden to First Place victory in the Plantation Class by his owner R. G. Grabein Sunday in Waco.

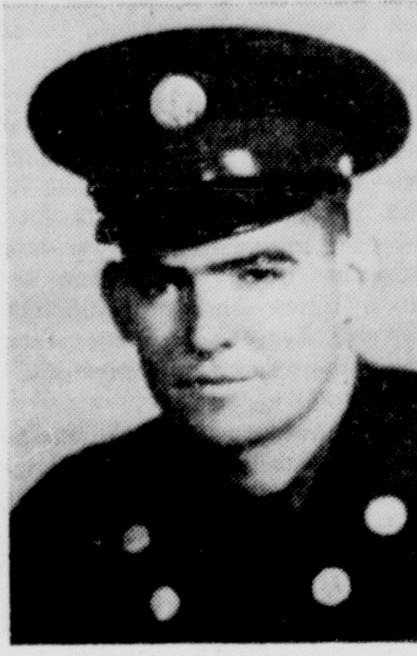
The occasion was the annual horse show at Veterans Hospital in Waco. It was Thunderbolt's second show year. He has taken part in five competitions and has won 3 first places, 1 second place and 1 third place.

Mr. Grabein and his horse are featured this month in the Chevrolet Auto-Graphic, magazine published by the company. Mr. Grabein has been Chevrolet agent here for a number of years.

In the Waco show Sunday Mr. Grabein won cash and the big blue ribbon.

R. F. Richards of Clute, Texas spent his vacation in Cameron where he visited relatives and friends during the past week. Mr. Richards is with Dow Chemical Company.

Stationed In Austria



CPL. EDWIN H. KURTZ

Cpl. Edwin H. Kurtz recently completed the General Non Commissioned Officer course at Salzburg, Austria.

He is now stationed at Wels, Austria with the Constabulary, Company, 4th. Reconnaissance, BN. Cpl. Kurtz is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kurtz of Cameron.

14 Young Men Reach Age of 18 Must Register For Draft

Young men who reached the age of 18 must register for the army draft and 14 in Milam county have reached that age and must report for registration as follows:

Sammy Lee Buris, Arthur Hugh Baskin, III, George William Johnson, Luther Lee Pittman, George Albert Jimenez, James Hairl McDaniel, Joe Trevino, Henry Wright, Jr., Wilfred Leo Polzer, Lee Edward Hunt, Wardell Lewis, John Junior Pevehouse, Ruben Leland McCollum, and Roscoe Simmond Judie.

BIG STRAWBERRY

A strawberry as big as a hen egg came to The Herald Monday from the garden of Jack Owings. The berry looks like the Klondike variety but grown in the magic soil belt here in Milam county, it is better than any other berry in the world.

Strange Marine Life On Display Here; One Caught on Hook

Specimen of strange marine life are on display at The Herald, one of them caught on a fish hook.

Walter Lester of the Cameron Seed Company, brought in these strangers. The small ones appear to be embryo newts. They have feet and horns, tail like a fish and swim around vigorously.

In the old days the kids called some of these forms polly-wogs. Some call them tad poles but are they really either of these.

The big one looks more like a tad pole at the transformation stage. He has a tail or maybe its her tail—looks like a gold fish's fan and has a greenish color.

This is the one Walter says was caught on a hook. Its all so puzzling. Come and make a guess.

Ralph Simmons Wins First Place In Solo At State Meet

Ralph Simmons, representing Hoyte colored Elementary school won first place in male solo, at State meet held at Prairie View College, Saturday, April 23.

At the county meet held recently at Cameron the Hoyte school placed first in solo, first in broad jump and second in piano and declamation.

The District meet was held a Caldwell where they won first in solo and first in broad jump.

The Hoyte school has an enrollment of 22 students. Emeola Geer is teacher and has held the position for the past 22 years.

Mrs. Sam Hohenstein and Mrs. Haden Lawrence spent one day last week in Temple.

John Reeder of Cameron has been ill for several days and is a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Tindall spent the week end with their children in Waco. They were accompanied home by their son, Derrel Tindall and Miss Mary Taylor of Mary Hardin Baylor, Belton.

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Former Cameron Couple Purchase Round Rock Cafe

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Hause have purchased the Houston Cafe in Round Rock.

Mr. Hause is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hause of Cameron and Mrs. Hause is the former Miss Ena Tyson, daughter of Mrs. Van Tyson. They have been living in Austin 8 years where Mr. Hause was engaged in the real estate business. Prior to that time they lived in Llano where they were married about 22 years ago.

Both attended high school in Cameron. They have two daughters Frances, employed in Austin and Sarah, at present in a nursing school in Galveston.

The Houston cafe has become famous for its foods and friends in Cameron will be glad to know these former residents here are now owners of the cafe.

Grand Jury Convened Here Wednesday

The Grand Jury in District Court convened here Wednesday and began its deliberation with County Attorney Ed Gunn.

J. G. Moore is Foreman. Other members are: C. W. Bailey, Clarence Allison, Sidney Frazier, Barbee Barrett, Richard Bush, E. A. Holder, Nelson Davis, W. B. Sommers, Willie Glaser, E. H. Miller, W. N. Michalka. Richard Bush was Secretary for the Grand Jury and W. E. Thomas of Milano was Door Bailiff.

Elder and Mrs. J. C. Collins of Luling visited with their daughter, Mrs. John Petty and their mother, Mrs. Sally Pace Monday and Tuesday. While here they also visited with friends.

Christine Michalka, student nurse at St. Joseph Infirmary school in Houston visited her parents in Cameron recently.

Sgt. Otto J. Brod Heads Class At Signal Corps School

Sgt. Otto J. Brod, Jr., formerly of Ben Arnold, has just completed the 18 weeks course at the Eighth Army Signal Corps School in Radio Repair with the highest grade of any man in the class of 25.

This information is contained in a letter from Col. Peter W. Shunk, commanding the school.

Sgt. Brod is the son of Mrs. O. J. Brod of Ben Arnold. Mrs. Brod is the former Anna Margaret Lamb. They have a small son.

Mrs. Bessie Sorrell of Mission is visiting her mother, Mrs. Bob Wiley. Mrs. Sorrell was reared here and has many friends who welcome her visits.

Miss Fay Crosslan of Harlingen is visiting in the Alvin Dusek home this week. Miss Crosslan is a sister of Mrs. Dusek.

HAD BEEN RESIDENT OF COUNTY FOR 54 YEARS

A. N. Weems, 81, native of Alabama and for 54 years a resident of Milam county, died in St. Edwards Hospital in Cameron at 12:50 A. M. Sunday, May 1 from a heart attack.

Mr. Weems suffered the attack at 2 p. m. Saturday at his home on east 1st Street and was rushed to the hospital where he died shortly after midnight.

Widely known as a business man he had for more than 40 years operated the Weems Gin here, at one time the largest such plant in central Texas.

Mr. Weems was a native of Alabama, born on April 4, 1868 in Cherokee county. He was married to Margaret Joselyn Shuffield in Alabama February 17, 1886 and they came together to Texas. In reciting his experiences which were rich and typical of the men who worked hard and achieved much, Mr. Weems once recalled that he had only 90c when he arrived in the state but like so many of the pioneers who visualized Texas in the making he entered fully into the opportunities presented and lived to see the accumulation of a large estate and to rear a large family of children, all of whom are living.

Mr. Weems arrived in Texas in February 1895 and settled in Cameron. He took a job with the Gaston-Sprinkle Mercantile Company and 13 years later entered the ginning business in Cameron and for 41 years operated this business, being a large factor in the processing of cotton in this area.

Mr. Weems was the last survivor of a family of 10 children. He was the father of 11 children.

Funeral services were to be held from First Methodist Church, Cameron at 4 p. m. Monday, May 2 by Rev. Lee Lemons, pastor, with interment in Oak Hill Cemetery and the Marek-Burns Funeral Home directing arrangements.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. A. N. Weems of Cameron, four sons and seven daughters as follows: Melvin Weems, Roy Weems, Owen Weems, and Robert Weems, all of Cameron; Mrs. Maudie Chambers, Mrs. Audell Horstmann, Mrs. Lois Haddox, Mrs. Oma Little, Mrs. Alphine McCann, Mrs. Serena Bridges all of Cameron and Mrs. Martha Fulton of Grand Prairie, Texas.

In addition to the eleven surviving children, 30 grand children and

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28 grand children survive.

Mr. Weems was a member of the Woodmen of the World.

Pallbearers were his grandsons.

Honorary pallbearers were: Arthur Baskin, H. F. Smith, Jr., Henry Boedeker, Johnnie Sanders, Joe Krull, Gus C. Beckhosen, Alvin Matula, Harrell White, C. L. Walker, C. B. King, Alvin Hibbitt, Randall Turner, Red Miller, August Hux, Lloyd Baker, Bowie Tucker, William Whitaker, Sam McDermott, Rush Thomas W. O. Newton, Oxsheer Smith, Carl C. Black, J. C. Young, Dr. James Watson, Cotton Bryan, J. C. Mayfield, Charles Swift, Otto Smith, Aubrey Hightower, James Dawson, Jr., Jim Short, O. E. Swift, Jack Elliott, Ray Westbrook, Walter Lucas, Frank Slimmer and Arthur Baskin, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Harper of Albuquerque were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Denson recently.

Mrs. R. L. Baker has returned home after visiting relatives in Houston and Austin.

Mrs. A. H. Hightower Hostess to Splawn HD Club April 27

Mrs. A. H. Hightower was hostess to the Splawn Club April 27, with 19 present. Mrs. Isabelle Moody gave a demonstration in covering buttons, putting in a zipper, and other helpful hints on sewing.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Gus Plentl on May 11.

The club is new, organized April 21, with Mrs. Buck Angell president. It has 18 members, and all are looking forward to making the club a success. Our motto is "Making the Best Better!"

Billy Black and Martha Black students at Southwestern University spent the week end in Cameron with their parents.

Post greetings from Mrs. Jeff T. Kemp tell of the nice visit she is having with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown at Arlington, Virginia.

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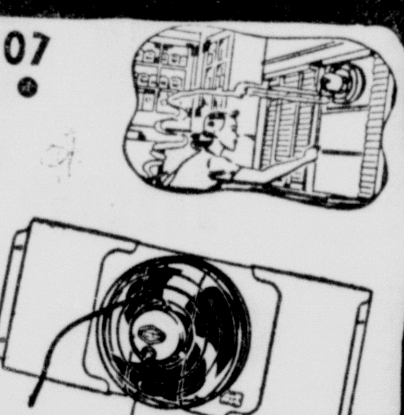
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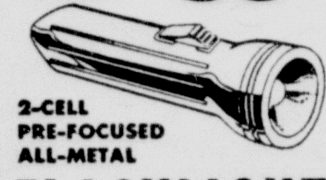
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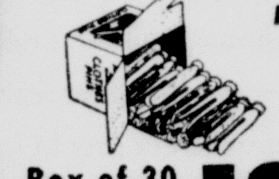
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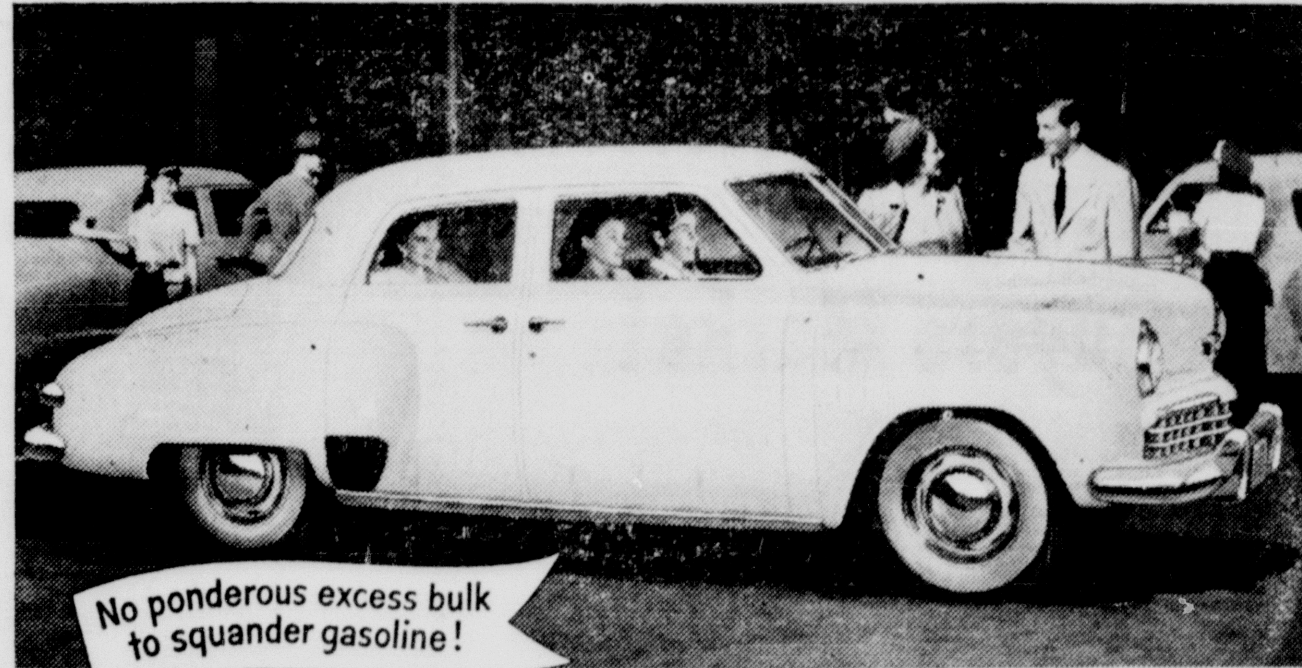
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RESERVE REQUIREMENTS CUT BY GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, April 28 — The Federal Reserve Board lowered the reserve requirements tonight to its 7,000-member banks by \$1,200,000,000, making more money available for lending.

This was the fourth board action

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in two months to combat deflation as reflected in lowered prices, production, sales and employment.

The lowered requirements will become effective next week.

The reduction in the amounts that various classes of banks must turn over to the Federal Reserve Banks as reserves—thereby freezing them out of the lending stream—are:

The proportion of checking account deposits which must be kept in reserve is cut from 26 per cent to 24, effective May 5; the proportion of savings deposits required to be held as reserve is reduced from 7 1-2 per cent to 7, also effective May 5.

"Reserve" banks (those in large cities like Dallas, other than New York and Chicago)—Checking account reserves cut from 22 to 21 per cent, effective May 5; savings reserves reduced from 7 1-2 to 7 per cent, also effective May 5.

"Country" banks —Checking account reserves reduced from 16 to 15 per cent effective May 1; savings reserves from 7 1-2 to 7 per cent, effective May 1.

The Reserve Board has taken these other steps to buoy up the economy: Twice relaxed controls over installment credit, and also made it easier to buy stocks by lowering the margin—or down payment—requirements to 50 per cent.

Today's action to make it easier for the banks to lend came after the sharpest and fastest decline in business loans on record—a contraction estimated by the board at approximately \$1,500,000,000 since the start of this year.

We Had 91 Degree Weather May 1st

Cameron had 91 degree temperature for a maximum of almost mid-summer heat Sunday, May 1, it was announced by L. W. Smith, government observer at the Community Public Service Company.

Extreme humidity late Sunday and Monday morning made weather in central Texas almost unbearable. There were no indications of a change despite the so called norther that failed to change temperatures appreciably Sunday night.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends and neighbors we extend our sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown us during the illness and at the death of our loved one, Jim Stutts. We wish to thank the Doctors and nurses or anyone that helped in any way. For the lovely flowers we are truly grateful.

THE STUTTS FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Arnold and Carolyn of Killeen spent the week end in Cameron. Mrs. Arnold and Carolyn remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rainwater and three of their sons from Hico spent several days visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Arisman on Route 1, Cameron. While here they also visited other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrell McLerran of Freeport are spending a few days in Cameron visiting relatives.

John Harley Modisett Makes Good With Big Cheese Manufacturers

Friends of John Harley Modisett will be glad to know of his good fortune and progress with the McClure & Craft Cheese Company.

He is the son of John Modisett of Cameron and was reared here. At present he is stationed in West Plains, Mo., and manager of two cheese plants.

Recently the company, in recognition of his services presented Mr. Modisett with \$100 in cash, a \$100 wrist watch and a \$50.00 fountain pen.

MISS LYDIA SVOBODA DIED HERE FRIDAY

Miss Lydia Svoboda, 28, resident of Rosebud, died in a local hospital at 5:20 a. m. Friday, April 29.

Funeral services were pending the arrival of relatives from Denver, Colorado.

Miss Svoboda was born in Bell county on March 18, 1911.

Surviving are her father V. J. Svoboda of Rosebud, two brothers, Edward Svoboda and Emil Svoboda of Rosebud, two sisters Mrs. Mary Ruzicka of Buckholts and Mrs. Malinda Doyle of Denver, Colorado.

The body was at the Marek-Burns Funeral Home in Cameron and funeral arrangements were due to be completed later in the day Friday.

NEW HOMES ACCOUNT FOR BUILDING HIKE

Building permits for April in the city of Cameron totaled \$20,600 it was reported by W. H. Stafford, City Secretary, early Saturday.

Mr. Stafford said the totals for the month included three new homes and one home moved into the city. The remainder is for repairs. Under the permit law all repairs in excess of \$100 is authorized by permit only.

The permits for April greatly exceeded those for March and was a sign that people are going ahead with their plans with the increase in materials supply.

materials supply.

New construction in the city has averaged around a quarter million per year since the permit law was enacted. Prior to that time the city had no way of telling how building was progressing.

Cameron's major need is business space and office space. The housing shortage is as acute as at any time in recent years. High construction costs has made impossible the construction of rental units both in residences and in business property.

Mrs. Charles Thomas Stubbs of Gause is a surgery patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Raymond Kurtz returned from Germany last Friday.

Mrs. Randolph Williams of Washington is visiting friends in Cameron

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Ft. Worth Woman Is Mother of Year

NEW YORK, April 24—A 60-year old Texas mother who raised six children of her own and helped educate eight others was named tonight as American mother of the year.

She is Mrs. Pearle Owens Gillis, a tiny, Kentucky-born woman, the wife of a postal department worker in Fort Worth, Texas.

A strong believer in her church

and in the world of music, she raised and helped educate a family that now represents far-flung fields extending from radio to college teaching.

Mrs. Gillis was chosen mother of the year by the national mothers committee of the Golden Rule Foundation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Marek and Amos spent last Sunday in Holland where they attended the dedication of the newly built Czech Marovian Church.

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For Civic Duty Well Done These Men Get Thanks of Community

For a civic job well done 22 Cameron men have earned the thanks and gratitude of the entire community.

They were responsible for raising some \$4000 for the National Guard Armory site in Cameron last week and this newspaper has asked for their names and the Chamber of Commerce has listed them as follows:

Ivan Cleek, Shirley McLean, Dick Albertson, Morris Eplen, Bert Nicholson, Bill Burns, A. R. Maddox, Woodrow Lowe, Calvin Markham, L. W. Smith, Lester Turner, Rudolph Michalka, Mainrod Mraz, Stanley Fikes, George Hollas, Johnny Andres, Dwight Moody, Albert Matula, L. Van Perkins, Tommy Kirk, Alvin Kohutek and E. A. Perrin.

Herald Want Ads Pay Dividends.

6 Year Old Mertens Child Falls In Well And Drowned Sunday

MERTENS, Hill County, April 24 —A 6-year-old boy fell into an abandoned uncovered water well on a vacant lot and drowned today.

The victim was Thomas Britton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Britton, of Mertens, the father is a disabled veteran of World War II.

The Britton lad and some other children were in the vacant lot picking flowers. He apparently fell in the well about 12:30 p. m. (CST) and was not missed for some time. Rescuers were unable to bring the body to the surface until about 2:30 p. m.

The lot had a heavy growth of flowers. The well has a curbing only the height of one brick and was about three feet across. County Attorney William B. Martin said the boy apparently stumbled on the curbing and fell in.

The lot is only 50 yards from the Britton home.

A Mertens doctor pronounced the boy dead when his body was recovered. A grappling hook was used to bring the body out of the well.

Cpl. Zedlitz Now In Alaska; Receives Recent Promotion

Corporal Louis E. Zedlitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Zedlitz of Route 1, Buckholts was promoted to the grade of Corporal on 18 February.

He is now stationed at Shemya Air Force Base, Alaska as an Aircraft Electrician with Headquarters Squadron.

Corporal Zedlitz enlisted on 28 May 1947 and was stationed at Chanute Air Force Base, Illinois prior to overseas assignment. He was assigned to Shemya Air Force Base, Alaska on 13 September 1948.

Friends of Mrs. Fred Jackson, Sr., will regret to learn she is ill and a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kamenicky and daughter, Patricia Ann made a business trip to Waco Monday.

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TRUMAN WHIPPED BY COALITION IN HOUSE

WASHINGTON, May 3—The Wood Bill retaining most of the Taft-Hartley Act was approved by the House tonight on a 217-to-203 roll-call vote which dealt the Truman Administration a smashing defeat.

Some further parliamentary maneuvering was in store before the bill could clear the house and go to the Senate.

But a coalition of Southern Democrats and Northern Republicans bent on retaining the Taft-Hartley Law largely intact was jubilant.

Conversely the Administration forces, which sought repeal of the Taft-Hartley Law and revival of the old Wagner Act in modified form, were plunged into gloom.

On the roll call test 146 Republicans joined 71 Democrats in voting for the Wood Bill. Voting against it were 180 Democrats, 22 Republicans and one American-Labor.

Before the roll call vote, the House had tentatively approved the Wood Bill on a non-record tally of 210 to 196.

Previously the Dixie-Republican coalition had chalked up an important preliminary victory when the House knocked down 211 to 183, a compromise put forward by the Democratic leadership.

Final passage of the Wood Bill was delayed by Representative Marcantonio, American Labor, New York.

Just as the final vote was reached, he demanded that an engrossed copy of the bill be read. This request can be made if any amendments have been adopted.

Engrossment is a special printing process, which prints the legislation, as amended, in its final form. In the case of a bulky bill, as the Wood measure is, it means a delay at least overnight.

The Wood bill would "repeal" the Taft-Hartley Law on paper, but reenact most of its important features.

Veda Frances Ayres And Nathan C. Kennon Married in California

In a formal ceremony at eight o'clock in the evening, April 23, 1949 at Eastside Church of Christ, Long Beach, California, Miss Veda Frances Ayres, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Ayres of Madill, Oklahoma became the bride of Nathan C. Kennon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cage Kennon of Cameron. G. W. Erickson gave the bride in marriage and Rev. William S. Irving officiated when the vows were exchanged.

The bride was gowned in traditional ivory satin made entrain with a fingertip-length veil cascading from a beaded tiara. She carried a bouquet of white roses and stephanitis centered with a lavender orchid. The bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Thomas B. McCarty, wore a dusty pink crepe satin gown and carried a bouquet of iris. Mrs. G. W. Erickson, who served as the bride's mother, was attired in a turquoise crepe gown with a shoulder corsage of pink carnations.

Little Donna Sue Tyler, cousin of the bride, served as flower girl, wearing a blue organdie dress over satin. She carried a basket of rose petals which were scattered down the pathway of the bride. Thomas B. McCarty was best man, while users were Dick Kennon, brother of the bridegroom and Charlie Erickson.

The wedding was followed by a reception in the church parlors attended by 200 guests. Hostesses were Mes. Robert Williamson, Neal Lowe, Hoyt Houchen, Ernest Flippin, Jack Bridges, Charlie Conner, Edwin Olson, Joe Stroud and Miss Laura Ann Weirick. Mrs. Jack Murphy, aunt of the bride, presided at the guest book. The bridal pair are honeymooning at California resorts and upon their return will establish a home in Downey.

Several prenuptial courtesies were extended the bride-elect in Oceanside, Long Beach and Los Angeles.

Mrs. Kennon attended Abilene Christian College, Texas and has been active in Business and Professional Women's Clubs. Her husband served in the army with distinction during World War II and is employed in Long Beach.

The Holloways Buy Palace of Eats

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holloway have purchased the Palace of Eats from Mr. Harbuz and are now in active management of the business. Both are experienced cafe operators.

They will feature a well rounded menu in lunches, short orders, a la carte and cold drinks. Hours for the cafe operation will be from 5 a. m. to 10 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Holloway are local people and well known. Mrs. Holloway is the former Frances Hughes and Mr. Holloway is a war veteran serving in the army with 6 months overseas duty.

Old Bible 1828 Print Prized Possession of J. L. Foster Here

A Bible 121 years old is the prized possession of J. L. Foster of this city.

This Bible, published in 1828 was presented to Mrs. Abigail Foster on November 12, 1837, great grand mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Foster were the grand parents of Mr. Foster of this city.

The Bible was stereotyped by E. & J. White in New York for the American Bible Society.

This rare book contains a table showing weights and measures reduced from Bible quotations to comparable weights and measures then in force among the people of the United States so that all might interpret Bible language.

In the Bible are a number of letters and documents put there for safe keeping. One is the church letter of Elizabeth Foster from Shiloh Baptist Church in Williamson County in 1856.

The oldest birth date recorded is that of Abigail King, born in 1778. Isaac Foster and Elizabeth Slaughter were married on June 22, 1836.

Mr. Foster also has an old Album that belonged to his grandmother, Elizabeth Slaughter. This album contains a number of tin type pictures, all members of the family.

One letter found in the Bible was written by Reubin Slaughter brother of Elizabeth Slaughter and who was a member of Terry's Texas Rangers and then stationed near Rome, Georgia. His regiment was attached to Hood's Texas Brigade. This letter was addressed to Miss Slaughter at Marlin in Falls County. The letter will be published as soon as space can be found for it.

CC TO SPONSOR SCHOOL PICNIC PROGRAM HERE

The Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the School Picnic program again this year, it was announced by L. G. Smith, manager here Wednesday.

The first school picnic will be held here on Friday, April 29.

This good will program handled by the Public Relations Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, was inaugurated here in 1948. Some 580 school children and sponsors, representing 13 schools in Milam county, came to Cameron for their annual class picnics.

A number of teachers have expressed a desire to come to Cameron again and the program of entertainment has been expanded.

E. C. Cole is chairman of the Committee and will have with him Mayor Roy Griffith, A. W. McCullin, Morris Eplen, Herbert Nance, Henry Siebman, O. B. Beasley and W. W. Lowe.

Souvenirs were given the students last year and will be given again this year. Merchants who wish to give souvenirs are requested to have them at the Chamber of Commerce offices before the opening of the program on Friday morning.

Soldiers Driving Down Tracks Flag Train and Escape

Three Camp Hood soldiers, all one year trainees were involved in a thrilling escapade at Milano Wednesday night when they drove their car onto the Missouri Pacific tracks and started out in the direction of Rockdale.

One of the men has paid a fine for driving a car while intoxicated and is prohibited under the law from driving a car for six months. The other two paid drunk fines in the justice court at Milano.

According to officers Pvt. Lewin Semon, Jr., driver of the car, turned off a street in Milano onto what he thought was a road. The car was driven about one half mile down the rails and the men discovered their plight when a 72 car freight train came roaring down the track.

One of the soldiers said he pulled off his shirt, ran down the track and flagged the train. The train crashed into the car as it was being brought to a stop with resulting slight damage to the machine.

On one side of the track is an embankment about six feet high and on the other side about 12 feet high and there was no way to get the car out of the way of the train.

Semon was fined in County Court and Pvt. Allen Shaffer and the other soldier whose name was not known here paid fines in justice court in Milano.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfons Kleiber spent Easter Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Richard Lehnert.

W. J. Brashear of Cameron is among the patients ill in Newton Memorial Hospital.

FUNERAL PENDING HERE FOR LATE WAR VETERAN

Truett Chambers, 30, native Texan and resident of Cameron, died in McCloskey Veterans Hospital at 10:20 p. m. Wednesday, April 27.

Mr. Chambers was under treatment as a war veteran and had been in the hospital for several weeks prior to his death.

Funeral services were pending arrival here of a sister, Mrs. Geraldine Bove of Raton Pass, New Mexico. The body is at the Marek-Burns Funeral Home.

Mr. Chambers was born on August 19, 1918 in Austin and was the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Weems of Cameron. He had lived in Cameron nearly all his life. He spent two years in the Army and saw combat service in North Africa where he was wounded and later discharged.

Full military honors will be accorded by local Veterans Organizations and religious services will be held at St. Monica's Catholic Church with interment in Oak Hill Cemetery. The deceased was a member of the Knights of Columbus.

Date and time of the funeral would be announced later in the day.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Helen Chambers of Cameron, his mother, Mrs. Maude Weems Chambers and grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Weems of Cameron. Two brothers and one sister survive as follows: Gordon Chambers of Grand Prairie, Texas, Homer Chambers of Cameron and Mrs. Geraldine Bove of Raton Pass, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Poo'e and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hohenstein of Cameron spent Sunday afternoon in Waco.

REBURIAL HERE FOR LAWRENCE SCHILLER

Reburial services were to be arranged here this week for ARM 2-C Lawrence C. Schiller whose body will arrive in Cameron over the Santa Fe at 3:13 a. m. Friday, May 6.

The body will be taken to the Marek-Burns Funeral Home for reinterment.

It was announced that arrangements would be made later in the day Tuesday or on Wednesday.

Lawrence was the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Schiller and brother of Edwin Schiller. He was killed in action off the coast of Southern China by Japanese airmen. Schiller was a gunner aboard a fighter plane attached to a carrier of the United States navy.

Mrs. Richard (Dick) Brennan of Lexington is a surgery patient in Newton Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Brennan is the former Miss Rebecca Lewis of Cameron. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Imogene Sanders of Minerva was in Cameron Tuesday of the past week on business.



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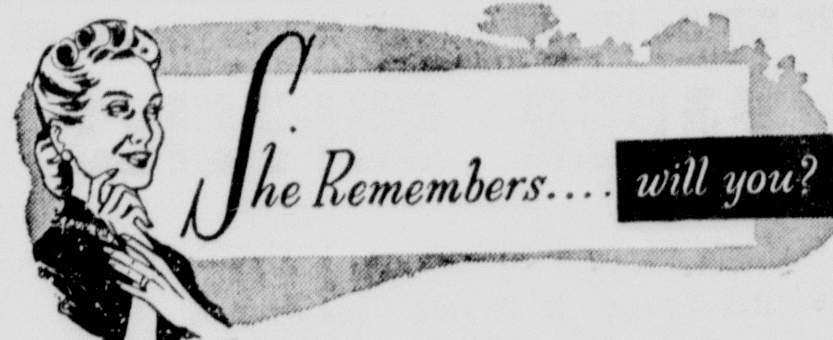
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FEDERAL EDUCATION AID BILL PASSED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, May 2 — Senate sponsors of a \$300,000,000 federal aid to education bill scored a top-heavy 68 to 11 victory today.

Led jointly by Senators Taft (R-Ohio) and Elbert Thomas (D-Utah), they beat down an amendment by Senator Lodge (R-Mass) which would have raised the amount richer states would receive for each pupil.

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Lodge proposed that every state receive \$10 of federal aid each year for all children between 5 and 17 years.

Taft and other sponsors of the aid plan contended this "would kill the bill." They said it would defeat its purpose to equalize educational opportunities among the states.

The senate vote retained a plan for giving each state a minimum of \$5 per pupil per year with the poorer states—determined by a formula—receiving as much as \$29.18 per pupil. Lodge contended this formula was not an accurate method of measuring relative wealth of states.

Although the Lodge amendment would have assured 32 states a bigger share in the funds, only 11 senators supported it.

Taft carried 20 other Republicans along with 47 Democrats to defeat the proposal.

Lodge immediately called up a second controversial amendment. It would bar aid to states where public schools are not open to children without regard to race, color, creed or nationality.

That involves a controversial "civil rights" anti-discrimination proposal which sponsors of the bill said they can defeat as they did such an amendment to the housing bill.

The vote on the distribution formula came late today after two days of debate and a flurry of new amendments.

Alfred Price, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Price of Cameron joined the U. S. Navy and left April 15. He is now stationed at San Diego, California and likes the Navy fine.

Agnes Meyer of Cameron is a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

MILANO NEWS

Mrs. Edith Taylor Butts died in St. Edwards Hospital Monday, April 25 after a short illness. Mrs. Butts was born and reared in Milano. She graduated from Milano school and had many friends here. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. Survivors are her husband Hubbard Butts, two small children, Myra Jane 8, and Mickey 5. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Taylor of Milano; four sisters Mrs. Alda Mills of Milano, Miss Ethel Taylor of Austin, Mrs. Clyde Eley of Hearne and Mrs. Lovena Black of Dallas; three brothers Jack Taylor of Dallas, Delbert and Alfred of Milano. Funeral services were held at Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale with burial in Milano cemetery.

Mrs. Ida Howes and Mrs. Bell Iiams spent a pleasant week end in Bryan.

Alton Thomas, employed at McCloskey Hospital in Temple spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Timmons and children arrived in Milano to visit in the home of his mother, Mrs. Ora Timmons. Mr. Timmons will leave soon for over seas. His wife and children will remain in the Timmons home until he can send for them.

Mrs. Howard Manley and daughter Marilyn of Temple were guests of her mother, Mrs. Dan Robinson, here Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Sanderford and baby of Somerville were visitors here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Livingston of Temple were visiting here in the home of Mrs. Opal Steele Sunday.

Mrs. Maggie Miller spent the week end in Cameron in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elliott and family. They accompanied her home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seaton and children of Maysfield were guests here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Nichols of Colorado City visited relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. J. K. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Miller and Mrs. Lois Miller of Bryan were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ase McGregor.

Milano seniors returned home Sunday from a pleasant trip to Old Mexico and reported a wonderful time. They visited several places of interest. They were accompanied by three teachers, Mrs. Jessie Bankston, H. H. Pruett and Charlie Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parker and children of Thorndale were visitors in the Wade Parker home here Sunday.

Tom Brannon of Houston visited his brother, M. Brannon here last Friday.

YARRELLTON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Elison Irish and son and Mr. Irish's mother all of Roswell New Mexico spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Authis Franklin and son Leroy attended the memorial services at Donahue near Bartlett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hopper of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Haley Richerson of Rosebud visited in the C. E. Russell home Sunday.

Pat Coleman of Corpus Christi spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Griffin and children of Waco are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Griffin and sons this week.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. South visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Barker Sunday.

Laverne Provasek visited Loma Russell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Lott of Kingsville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lott over the week end, and attended church and Sunday school at Yarrellton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Adams of Texarcana and Mrs. Jim Perkins of Calvert spent the week end with their father, Ed McCall and sisters Dulce and Mairon.

Ed Lake spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Barker and family in Rockdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Griffin and Linda spent Sunday with home folks at Candlesnap.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Caddell of South Elm and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Chapman of Cameron were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald.

Several from here attended the funeral of A. N. Weems in Cameron Monday.

Charlene Griffin spent Friday night with Laverne Provasek.

Mrs. H. D. Maxwell of Rockdale has taken over the duties of president of the Ninth District of P-TA following the 25th annual meeting which closed Wednesday at Taylor. Among other officers was Mrs. Grady Stidham of Cameron.

Jessie Tomez is among the patients ill in the Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. A. J. Johnson and Miss Nila Jean Fuller visited in Temple Sunday.

MRS. IRA FONTAINE TO BE BURIED LATE FRIDAY

Mrs. Ira Fontaine, 82, native of Mississippi and one time resident of Jones Prairie Community, died at 3:05 p. m. Thursday, April 28 at her home in Bryan.

Mrs. Fontaine was born at Meridian, Mississippi on February 12, 1867 and came to Texas many years ago. She was the widow of the late Ira Fontaine who was an uncle of the late Dr. R. K. Fontaine of Jones Prairie.

Funeral services were to be held from the Little River Baptist Church at Jones Prairie at 5 p. m. Friday, April 29 by Rev. Miller T. Smith, pastor of First Methodist Church in Rockdale. Interment in Little River Cemetery with the Marek-Burns Funeral Home in Cameron directing.

Surviving are two sons O. V. Fontaine of Austin and C. C. Fontaine of Bryan. One sister Mrs. Minnie Leslie survives and resides at Rising Star, Texas. There are 12 grand children and 9 great grand children.

Pall bearers were Arnie McLerran, Sam Nicholson, Elred Massengale, Fred Bailey, Bailey Jones and Luther Todd.

Lunch Room Prices At Milano School Reduced to Students

The Milano School Lunch Room on April 1 announced a reduction in the charges for lunches to the school children. The price had been 15 cents since the first of the school year and the reduction brings the price down to 10 cents.

Supt. Pruett says this reduction is made possible by a combination of things. Much food has been received from the government. A great deal of canning is done each summer and at times during the rest of the year.

There is also some profit from a hog feeding program sponsored by the lunch room in order to utilize all waste food. With an abundance of fruit, vegetables and meats in their own warehouses and cold storage in both Cameron and Taylor the Milano children are prepared to eat at a very low cost.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Does It Rain Fish? Perch 2 and Half Inches Long Taken From Ditch Near Home

Does it rain fish? This is a question many people have been asking for ages.

The answer to this question, as readily available as folklore, finds many saying they have seen fish cast upon the ground by torrential rains.

Mrs. Oscar Patillo who lives in the Green addition to the city of Cameron, took perch two and a half inches long from a ditch alongside her home following the recent heavy rains. She has one of these to show for what may be proof that it does rain fish.

Much criticism could be directed at Cameron streets, but nobody has yet sought to stock them with fish.

The water in the drainage ditches near the Patillo home has not been there long enough to nurture fish two and a half inches long.

This strange phenomena comes to light at this time when there is much talk about rains, floods and overflows and in consequence tall tales are revived. One man said he had heard Old Man So and So say that it had once rained bull frogs and pitch porks.

Does it rain down fish from the clouds? This newspaper makes no effort to answer this question but is enjoying the current tall tale stance of the phobia fringe. We do not make the facts, we just print them, and Mrs. Patillo found the fish and whafs more she saved one for all to see.

Yes siree, Mrs. Patillo has the perch which was taken from rain waters adjacent to her home and these waters were not there two weeks ago.

If you have any ideas or evidence about fish raining down from the clouds, let us have it in writing. It is a known fact that tanks and small lakes, in a few years time become stocked with fish. There are a few logical and accountable reasons for such happenings, but the big question here is do fish come down with rain?

Mr. and Mrs. Maxie Collins and children, R. C., George Wesley and Sharon K. and Bob White of Beaumont spent the week end visiting relatives in Cameron. Mr. and Mrs. Collins were on vacation and visited Mr. Collins relatives in West Texas.

Mrs. Maude Hillyer left this week to visit her daughter in Washington.

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THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MAY 5 and 6

Cameron Theatre

SATURDAY, MAY 7
"MAN-EATER OF KUMAON"
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SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 8 and 9
"LITTLE WOMEN"
June Allison and Peter Lawford
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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, MAY 10 and 11
"TIME OF YOUR LIFE"
James Cagney and William Bendix
C
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, MAY 12 and 13
"THE WALKING HILLS"
Randolph Scott and Ella Raines
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SATURDAY, MAY 14
"LITTLE TOUGH GUYS IN SOCIETY"
Dead End Kids

Milam Theatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MAY 6 and 7
"THE EYES OF TEXAS"
Roy Rogers
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SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 8 and 9
"PITTSBURG"
Marlene Dietrich and Randolph Scott
M
TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, MAY 10 and 11
"SILVER RIVER"
Errol Flynn and Ann Sheridan
M
THURSDAY, MAY 12
"FEATHERED SERPANT"
Roland Winters
M
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MAY 13 and 14
"CALL OF THE CANYON"
Gene Autry

Personal Mention

Mrs. C. H. McCall of Pittsburg, Penn., daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. J. M. F. Gill visited friends in Cameron this week. Mrs. McCall is the former Florence Gill and been in Texas for several days attending to business.

son, Charles Roy of Houston and Miss Iva Earl Heath of Washington, D. C. Their son, Joe Bill Heath of Houston was unable to be here at that time, but will visit with them this week. Joe Bill is with Shell Oil Company in Houston.

Mrs. Wendell Carr accompanied Rev. Carr to Fort Worth Friday, where she visited relatives while he attended classes at TCU.

Mrs. Altha Kahler of Buckholts visited in Cameron Wednesday of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newton and Jimmy of Carthage spent Easter Sunday visiting relatives in Cameron.

Mrs. T. B. Moseley of Waco visited friends in Cameron last week. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Mary Lee Johnston of Los Angeles, California.

Easter holiday guests in the home of Mrs. Mary Kamenicky were: Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kamenicky and son, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Eiland and Lona Eiland all of Dallas and Mrs. Frances Orsag of Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Roberts and sons, Lynn and Harold of Vernon, Texas, spent the Easter holidays with their parents and grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turney and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Roberts.

The loan was signed in the REA headquarters in the presence of Poage, H. D. Farrow, Itasca, president of the Brazos River Electric Transmission cooperative, R. W. Miller, Waco, manager, and Claude Wickard, administrator of REA.

Poage said the loan resulted from a detailed study made by REA and BRETC engineers which showed a rapidly increasing demand for electric power in Central Texas. Estimates are that 309,750,000 kilowatt hours will be needed by 1958.

Among those to attend the Christian Church Convention in Waco this week were: Mesdames J. D. Eplen, Ray Burke, Frank Reid, Evelyn Hearne and Rev. and Mrs. Wendell Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Pembroke and Misses Marie Hearne and Teresa Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Jackson of College Station spent the Easter holidays visiting her mother, Mrs. Oscar Patillo and other relatives.

Mrs. Frank Plachy, Jr. of Temple is a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. David Pratt and children and A. D. Lagrone were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Pratt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Kirk announce the arrival of a nine pound son born April 14. The baby has been named, Joe Glen. The Kirk's have another son Charles seven years old. Mrs. Kirk is the former Martha Crouch.

David Washington of Route 1, Gause is among the patients in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. C. O'Donnell and Mrs. Lucille Needham of Houston are planning to spend the week end visiting Miss Myrtle Hinton and will attend the Square Dance school being held in Cameron Friday night.

Sol Sider and Sam Winfield and Heiry Bernstein of Chicago spent Thursday and Friday in the Adolph Winfield home in Cameron.

Miss Lilian Atkinson and Mrs. Webb Todd visited H. L. Atkinson at Scott and White Hospital recently and report him doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Newton and baby are visiting relatives in Maysfield and Cameron this week.

Mrs. Lottie Bigbee is visiting friends and relatives in Dallas this week.

Mrs. Randolph Williamson of Washington and sons, Randy and John spent the week end with friends in Cameron. Mrs. Williamson will be remembered in Cameron as the former Mittie Lou Howard.

Billy Ann Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Bailey is ill and in Newton Memorial Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Ira L. Blackwell of Route 3 Cameron is ill and in Newton Memorial Hospital for treatment. Friends will be glad to know she is doing well.

Mrs. Max Schwinger is among the patients in Newton Memorial Hospital. The Schwingers reside on Route 4 out of Cameron.

Linda Perkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Van Perkins is among the patients ill in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Dora Hinton has returned from visiting relatives in Houston.

Miss Kate Mitchell of Maysfield was a Cameron visitor recently.

Mrs. Steve Macal and Agnes and Eddy and Bennie Mikula spent Sunday in Arlington Downs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Kleiber of Schulenburg, Milton Jistel student at STSC of San Marcos, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kurtz, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kurtz, Sr., and daughter, Dorothy Marie, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jistel and family.

Friends of S. J. Henry will regret to learn he is ill and in Newton Memorial Hospital for treatment.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ross Posey, Jr., of San Francisco, California who have been visiting Mr. Posey's parents in Cameron left Monday of this week to return to their home. They also visited Mrs. Posey's relatives in Union Town. He is in the U. S. Navy and stationed in San Francisco. They are readers of the Cameron Herald and enjoy the paper very much.

Mrs. George Ditto and Mrs. Pearl Cass of Gause shopped in Cameron Monday of this week.

Mrs. M. G. Cox is ill at her home.

Visitors in the Ros Posey home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Posey and son John Charles of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Posey and son and Eugene Posey of Waco. Sunday afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bunce Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Bickett of Marlow and Mr. and Mrs. Arlan Henry of Austin.

Judge Ed Gunn attended the annual Homecoming at Mt. Zion near Rockdaye Sunday.

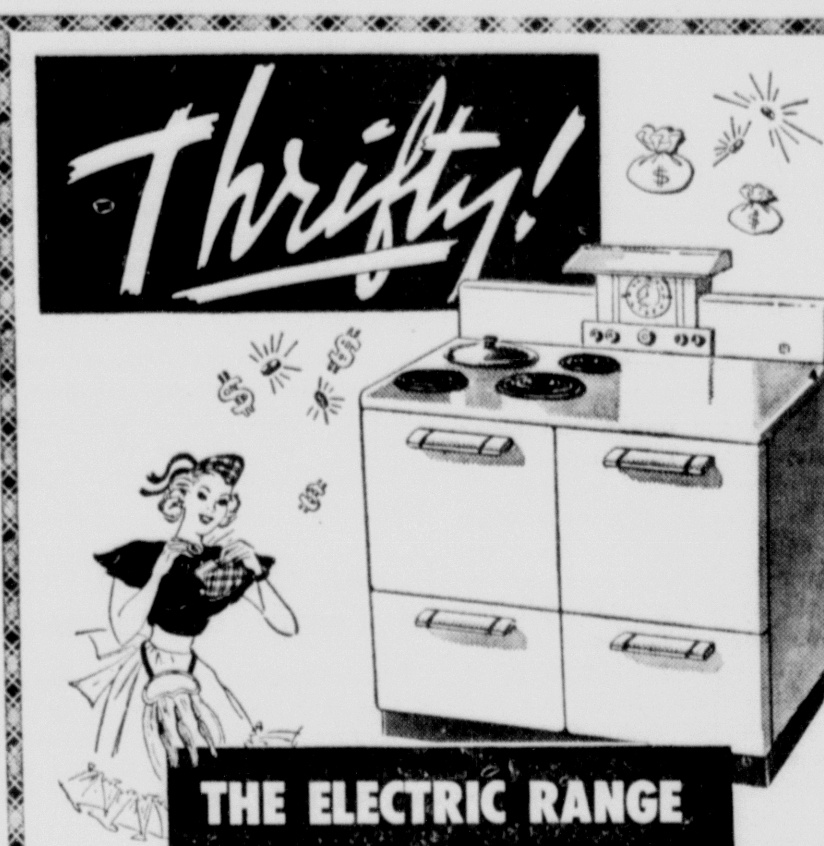
Mrs. R. A. Kitzer is ill at her home in Cameron this week.



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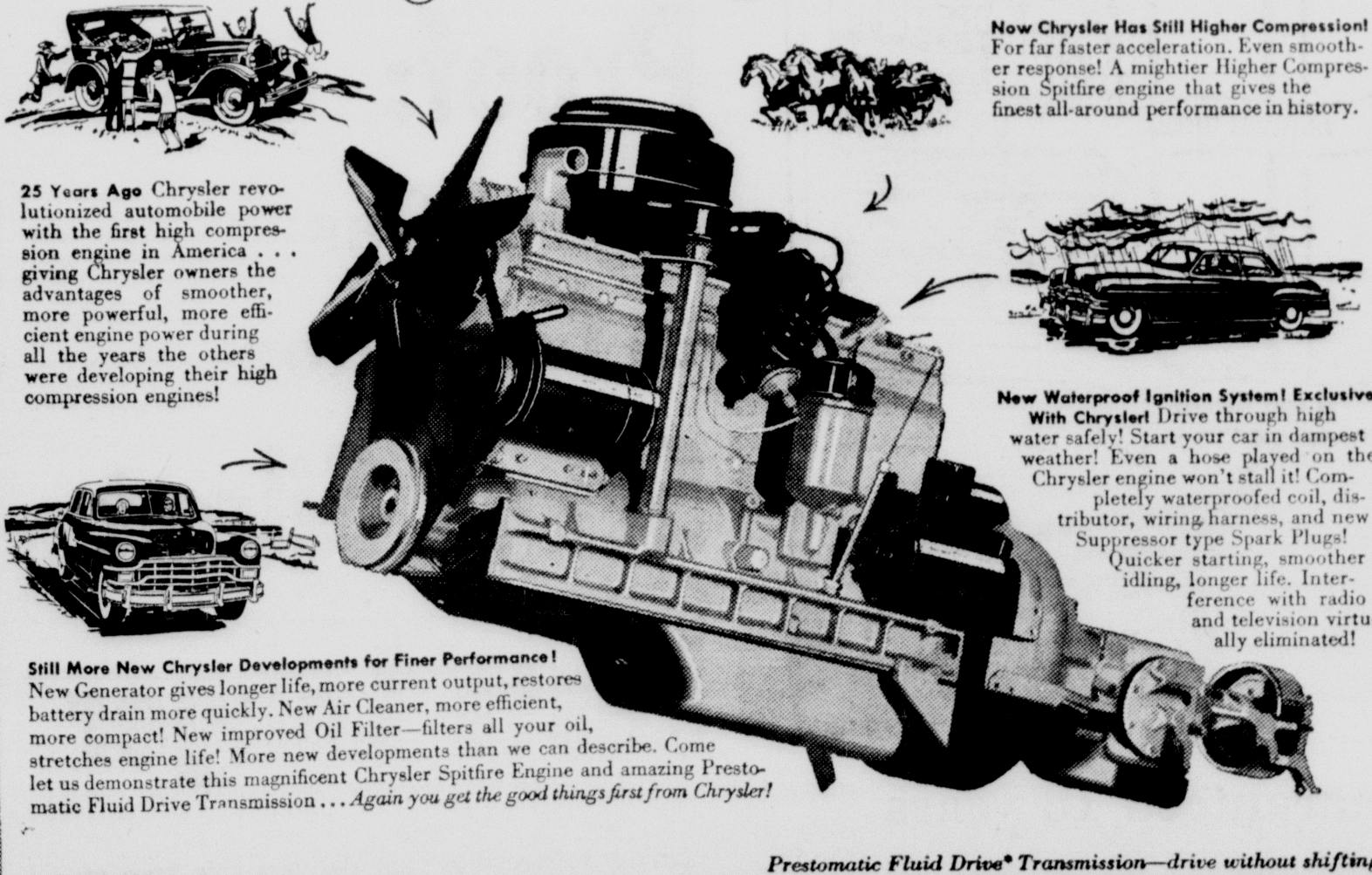
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OLD LETTER—

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 tember when we crossed the Tennessee River into Alabama. We again struck the railroad at Dalton on the 17th and tore up the railroad. In short we played the wild with Sherman's communications and helped to demoralize his army considerably.

Hood is now playing the game on Sherman that Sherman played on him. He is now making the greatest flank movement on record and has succeeded thus far in completely outgeneraling his opponent. His movements are conducted with so much celerity and secrecy that neither friend nor foe knows where he is at any particular time nor where to look for him. Every man knows where he is himself, his regiment and brigade is, but that is all he knows. The balance of the army may be in Jericho for all he knows. How it will end or where Hood will go, none has as yet ventured to conjecture as far as I have heard. We all have confidence in Hood and hope for the best and leave the rest to Providence.

We are now at this point guarding Hood's line of communication. We had a round with the Yankees the other day, in which we got the worst end of the bargain. In short got badly whipped, completely routed. Our little command marched boldly up to attack the Yankees at Rome and our new regimental flag greatly resembling Hardee's battle flag. The citizens told Sherman that Hardee's corps was encamped at our camping ground. Sherman believing the report sent Blain's Army Corps and two divisions of cavalry to attack us, which they did and their cavalry coming in on our flanks and being completely in our rear before they were discovered, caused us to make a complete stampede. The roads being in the enemy's possession we were obliged to take to the woods for it. During the run, we through the carelessness and negligence of the color bearer we lost our flag. It slipped off the staff and its loss was not discovered for some time and the Yankees found it. It is a subject of the deepest regret and mortification to the regiment. It was not lost

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through any fault of the regiment but it will be gloried over by the Yankees as it was captured in a fair fight. It was a new flag that had been presented to us by some ladies of Nashville, Tennessee and it was the first fight we had taken it in to. We are going to challenge the regiment for a fair fight for the flag and if the challenge is accepted we will be sure to get it back.

We are here waiting orders and there is no telling when or to where we will move but direct your letters to this army and they will reach me after a while. Write to me soon and often.

With much love to yourself and family.

I am,
 your affectionate brother
 Reubin Slaughter
 Co. D Terry's Texas Rangers.

Lightning Strikes Barn During Rain Storm; Loss Heavy

Lightning set fire and destroyed a large barn on the Anton Svetlik farm at Bryant Station Thursday, April 28.

The fire occurred around 6 a. m. Thursday during the rain storm. Mr. and Mrs. Svetlik think that lightning struck the barn.

Lost were 300 bales of hay, four and a half tons of maize and 200 bushels of corn.

"We are deeply indebted to our neighbors for their efforts to save the barn and its contents. While we have a very heavy loss, we realize that our neighbors did all that was humanly possible to do and we want them to know of our thanks," said Mrs. Svetlik who was in Cameron early this week.

Frank Cheeves III In Temple Hospital

Frank Cheeves, young business man of Cameron, is critically ill in King Daughters Hospital in Temple. Mr. Cheeves became ill early this week and was rushed to the hospital for treatment.

It was said here Wednesday that no definite conclusion had been reached as to his exact condition but many friends were hopeful that he might soon improve.

Mrs. A. L. Raymond is a surgery patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. C. T. Stubbs Jr., of Gause is among the patients in Newton Memorial Hospital.

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liberties. Juarez is sometimes referred to by historians as the Abraham Lincoln of Mexico.

Mexican Independence days is celebrated on September 16 and this occasion always calls for a big affair here.

The current celebration plans calls for two days May 5 to 7. The celebration will be staged in their own park, recently acquired and dedicated. The big platform 70x80 will serve well for the big bailes to feature the two day program.

The program will open with music by the orchestra directed by Valentin Rodriguez of Rosebud. Then will follow the National Hymn of Mexico.

Victor M. Burmudez, Secretary of the Mexican Patriotic Committee, will deliver an address in which he will recite the events of the history connected with the 5th of May event. This will be followed by other talks.

A feature of the opening ceremonies will be the crowning of the Queens for the celebration. Representing Mexico will be Miss Elvira Coronado and the American representative will be Miss Audelia Reina. Bearing the Mexican flag and the

American flag will be Juan Garcia and Mariano de la Rosa.

Master of ceremonies will be Isabel Soriano.

The two day celebration will partake of the customary holiday spirit and the colorful carnival decorations with many concessions and the sale of foods, candies and drinks and such things as are customarily sold, the proceeds from the concessions going to the patriotic committee funds.

Estanislado Villaneuva is President of the Honorable Mexican Commission; Victor M. Burmudez is Secretary of the Cameron Patriotic Mexican Committee; Isabel Soriano is Secretary of the Honorable Mexican Commission and the Treasurer is Carlos Ambris.

Mrs. Walter Harrison and Miss Verna Miller of Cameron visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Miller at Ad Hall Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Gamble of Sharp were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vaculin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vaculin in Cameron and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Vaculin live in West, Texas.



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CAMERON, TEXAS

Chambers Bar and Cafe Burglarized

The Marshall Chambers bar and cafe was burglarized Thursday night it was disclosed by Sheriff Black.

Mr. Black said that a small amount of money had been taken from a nickelodian.

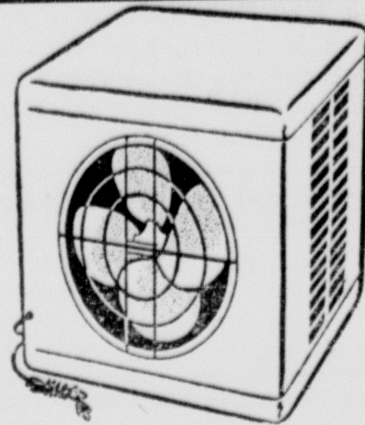
A number of suspects had been taken into custody and fingerprinting was proceeding.

Printing is a home industry

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Winfield and son, Bennie Ray of Cameron spent Sunday in the Sophia Winfield home in Austin. Milton who spent the week end there returned with them to Cameron.

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T. C. Whites and daughter Mrs. Wallace Davis of Ft. Worth visited here this week.



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